

General and basic characteristics within veneer species are constant, however, there are many variables in growth and appearance resulting from local climate and soil conditions. The wider the growth range of a species over the earth's surface, the greater the variance in many characteristics of the wood. Therefore, important specifying guidelines will assure the application as designed.

Architects and Designers demand the exact look, fit and application when using wood. To this extent, this specifying guide is designed to leave nothing to chance or interpretation by manufacturers, wood workers and wood installation specialists.

The following information is to be included with project specification documents:

Today's Date:

____/____/____

1. **Face Veneer Species Selection:** _____

2. **Identify Type of Cut:**

Plain Sliced Quarter Sliced Rift Cut (Oaks Only) Half Round (Rotary Cut)

3. **Flitch Selection Number:** _____

4. **Matching of sequenced leaves within each face shall be the following:**

Book Matched Slip Matched Random Matched

5. **Number of veneer leaves per panel:** Required Not Required

6. **Face Assembly Requirement:** Center Balanced Balanced
(Method of matching sequential veneer leaves within a panel)

7. **Panel Match Requirement:** Sequenced Blueprint
(Method of matching panels within an elevation)

8. **Veneer Selection is Specified by Architect/Designer:** (Contact Information)

Name: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Fax: _____

9. **BVC Contact:** (Contact Information)

Name: _____ Office: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Fax: _____

10. **Send Spec Sheet Info To:**

Name: _____ Company: _____

Name: _____ Company: _____

Name: _____ Company: _____

11. **Project Name/Additional Notes:** _____

Please refer to AWI Quality Standards 8th edition Version 1.2 published by Architectural Woodwork Institute, Reston, VA for further clarification and explanations of various interior woodwork grades or refer to the BVC Book of Wood.

